

## Town of Vienna, Virginia Police Department Media Information Release

# 3<sup>rd</sup> UPDATE with new contact information as of July 17<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 a.m.

The Vienna Police Department's non- emergency phone lines continue to malfunction as of 11:00 a.m. on July 17<sup>th</sup>. Verizon is still working to correct the problem but it is not know when the lines will be fully repaired.

**Temporary Non- Emergency Number-** Citizens should now use 703-938-4900 and may also use 703-255-6378 and 703-255-6379 for non- emergency contact with the Vienna Police.

#### 9-1-1 emergency lines continue to function properly.

When repairs are completed an update will be issued.

Previous Media Release from July 15, 2011:

### UPDATE- as of July 15 at 9:00 a.m.

The Vienna Police Department's non- emergency phone lines continue to malfunction as of 9:00 a.m. July 15<sup>th</sup>. Verizon is working to correct the problem and estimates that they will be repaired by approximately 9:00 p.m. tonight, July 15<sup>th</sup>. Citizens should continue to use the non- emergency numbers in the manner outlined below for non- emergencies.

#### 9-1-1 emergency lines continue to function properly.

Previous Media Release from July 14, 2011:

# Non- Emergency Phone Line Issues at Town of Vienna Police Dispatch

The non-emergency telephone lines at the Town of Vienna Police Department are not functioning correctly as a result of the storms yesterday.

The 9-1-1 emergency system is operating correctly. Citizens needing emergency assistance should still dial 9-1-1 to reach the dispatcher.

Citizens needing to contact the Department for non-emergency assistance should call 703-255-6378 or 703-255-6379. When using these lines citizens may get a busy tone if the line is in use. In this case they should try dialing again.

Individuals that call 703-938-4900 will get a busy tone. Individuals calling 703-255-6366 will hear a ringing tone but it will not go through to the dispatcher.

Verizon is aware of the issue and is working to correct the problem.

Non- emergency inquiries that can be handled via email can be sent to police@viennava.gov.

For further information please contact:
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Public Information Officer at <a href="wmurray@viennava.gov">wmurray@viennava.gov</a> or 703-255-6396